

PATs Meeting Minutes

October 14, 2021

6:30 pm

In attendance:, Laura Cozzarin, Meghann Dykstra, Lauren Petty, Sarah Saunders, Michelle Vallance

Regrets:

School council meetings will continue online and the meeting room link will be posted on the school website as well as emailed out to Council members. If you'd like to join the next meeting and would like the link emailed to you, please contact the school.

Financials:

- Bank account balance is \$5123.96
- Little Caesar's anticipated profit \$1068. Will get final numbers for next meeting

Fundraising:

- Poinsetta fundraiser (from Bradford Greenhouse) is set up and ready to go. The paperwork will be distributed to students at the beginning of November. Orders will be due by Nov. 25 with delivery on Dec 2. This a 'playground fundraiser' with funds being allocated to our new playground initiative.
- The 'playground committee' will consist of current PATs committee members. Any additional members would be welcomed!
- Little Caesar's pizza to be delivered on Oct 29

Principal's Report:

- Staff and students participated in the Terry Fox Run as a whole school. It was a great event! Total amount of money raised was \$1000... doubling our goal of \$500!
- We participated and learned about Orange Shirt Day. The learning will continue in November when we learn about the land that we are on.
- Lots of discussion surrounding Rowan's Law and concussion awareness.
- Fire Drills were held the first week of October and a Lock down drill was completed last week. Fire drill response time decreased dramatically. The final drill resulted in the school being evacuated in 53 seconds!
- Staff created a Slideshow for families to view in lieu of Open House, it was posted in students Google Classroom
- There is a PA Day on October 29th. As a staff, we will be reviewing fall assessments and looking at ways to close learning gaps. In the afternoon staff will have time to work on Progress Reports
- Picture Day is October 26, 2021
- Halloween (October 28) Students will be able to wear their favourite Halloween colours if they wish to participate. Students will not be sharing food, but staff may distribute pre-packaged treats to students.

New Business:

- Looking at holding a Radiothon/event in the spring to raise funds and awareness for our fundraising efforts for the new playground.

Meeting finished at 7:45 pm

Next Meeting: Nov 11 @ 6:30 pm